RICHMOND, VA., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1895.

THE OHIO ELECTIONS.

Tide Has Not Yet Turned in Favor of Democracy.

A BRICE MAN TURNED DOWN.

Ex-Governor Campbell, However, and Congressman Sorg Come Out

## ELECTION IN CHICAGO.

he delirium of victory, and crowds out and in a body marched through y this evening with horns and

every department of the city

a dozen wards of the city, which

manic fight was narricularly bitter. This is the ward where Gus Collander, an election officer, was murdered last November. John Paliton, a Republican challenger, shot and fatally w unded his court, Patrick Dalton, ourside a polling-place. Patrick dared his court, to come from the booth, and when John refused to show himself Patrick went away. He returned soon with a part of the Wesson-arest gang of toughs, and inding John on the sidewalk, attacked him with a knife, John fired and hit his assailant in the abdomen. The police arrested John and took his victim to the hospital, where the doctors said he could not live.

In the Eighteenth Ward sidewalk fights and attacks on polling-places were frequent. W. J. Ray, a chalkager, was knocked down, and after getting on his feet tried to use his revolver on his assailant. An officer who rushed between them would have been shot had not a sergeant wrenched the weapon away.

A ROODLER TRIUMPHANT.

FIELD, ILL., April 2.-As the most bitter political figh Protective Association candi-believed the Republicans have e other officers. They get a of the Council. Two negroes

## ST. LOUIS REPUBLICAN.

Democrats Stupefied at Result-Rows Numerous-Arrests Many. was shot in the voters. In his pocket a bundle of 150 false ballots was found.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL., April 2.—The people's party city ticket, representing the law-and-order sentiment of the city. the law-and-orier sentiment of the city, as opposed to Monte Carlo gambling and race-tracks, headed by H. F. Bader for Mayor, was elected to-day by a large majority over the citizens' ticket, upon which Mayor Stephens was a candidate for a fifth term as Mayor. Party politics was

# ELECTIONS IN MICHIGAN.

and cities.
A CONGRESSIONAL RESULT.

MILWAUKEE AND WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., April 2.-The oreme Court, 5,100; George Clementson Independenth, 4,550; Emil Wallber (Re-bablican, for Judge of the Municipal Court, 8,007; Edward Q. Nye (Independcourt, 5,50; Edward Q. Nye (Independent), 263; N. Neelen (Republican), for Police Justice, Milwaukee, 6,973; Julius Bruces (Independent), 5,155.
The vote in the State shows that the election of George Clementson to a sea

on the Supreme Bench is certain.

Party Lines Generally Ignored-Lit-

dorsed by the Populars and the first time in twenty years, went Democratic, electing five Democratic councilmen. In South Omaha and Bestrice It is a mixed result.

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In most of the smaller towns of the State the only question up was license against no license, and the no-license towns seemed to dominate. Party lines were generally dropped, and little inter-est was manifested in the election.

DENVER CITY REPUBLICAN.

DENVER, COL., April 2.-The o-night it is conceded that the Republian ticket is elected by 5,000 majority Thomas S, McMurray heads the winning ticket for Mayor. Returns from the smaller towns of the State nearly all show Republican vic-

was in Louis A. Cella's saloon, Twentyfifth street and Washington avenue. Day Thorm.
It was zeal on the part of both men to

crat) and Hiram H. Lloyd (Republican). Day was the leader of the Lloyd faction, while Thorm looked after Cella's interests. Day had detected a repeater, and went with an officer to Cella's saloon to cause his arrest. While in the place Day was assaulted by the Cella crowd, led by Thorm. Both principals drew revolvers and began firing. Thorm fell in the doorway, mortally wounded, and Day, running for his life from the Thorm party, took refuge in a house across the street, where the doors were barred fehind him. Every man in the party was arrested, and all were firing, but Day escaped untouched. He was identified at the City Hospital by Thorm as the man who shot him. is the man who shot him.

The accused claims self-defence, A arge detail of police, after making seve-

from the legal consequence, and that no communication made by a paster to his ongregation is privileged because of such

BALTIMORE, April 2—A destructive forest fire has been raging in Anne Arun-del county, Md., since Sunday. Beginning at Marley bridge, which spans Marley creek, the flames swept over 600 acres Pumphrey. No buildings of importance have been burned, although the town of Glen Burnie was threatened. A fortunate change of wind saved the village from

a vote of 29 to 11.

In conversation prior to the opening of the Senate session to-day, the E. ublican Senators admitted that it is unlikely that

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 2.—(Special.)—Mrs. S. W. Westbrook, a popular and lovable lady of this city, and a sopromise, died here to-aight at hiss occoses. She contracted pneumonia last Thursday. She was well known, and had many friends in Richmond. Her age was 28 years, and she leaves a husband and two young children.

SALT LAKE, UTAH, April 2.—The woman suffrage clause in the proposed State Constitution of Utah passed to-day by an overwhelming vote. It now goes to a third reading, but is not liable to be changed. An amendment favoring the submission of the clause to a vote of the people was defeated-70 to 80

To save your dollars, if you need as

ON PRIZE FIGHTING

Message of Governor Mitchell to the Florida Legislature.

LOTTERY QUESTION

Therefor Exist Now or Not-A Vigo rous State Paper.

TALLAHASSEE FLA. April 2.-Th Florida Legislature convened at 12 o'clock in both branches. Governor Mitchell's lackley—have run slightly ahead of entirely to matters of local interest only. entirely to matters of local interest only.

"I recommend that these prize-fights or glove contests, be made felonies by

## PIMLICO RACE-COURSE.

Fall Meetings.

Parblu met Ten Broeck and a "Dixie" or a "Breckinridge" was run. The stewards of the running meetings will be Colonel F. M. Hall, Alexander Brown, C. L. Bowie, M. M. Manly, and C. M.

WASHINGTON, April 2.-Results at WASHINGTON, April 2.—Results at the Old Dominion race-track to-day:
First rac—five furlongs—Rama (4 to 1) won, Ella (4 to 1) second, Mate (4 to 1) third. Time, 138 1-2.

Second race—six and one quarter furlongs—Northford (4 to 1) won, Bellagio (5)

Lucy (7 to 1) second, Paragon (100 to 1) third. Time, 1:01 1-2.

Fourth race—one mile and a furiong—Tenaclous (4 to 5) won, Paris (3 to 1) second, Come Home (8 to 1) third. Time,

Guard (165, Mayberry, 5 to 1) won, Sir John (13 to 1) second, Maquon (7 to 1) third. Time, 1:17 1-2. third. Time, 1:37 1-2.
Second race-seven furlongs-Galen-brown (111, C. Slaughter, 20 to 1) won, Artless (15 to 1) second, Nicaragua (10 to 1) third. Time, 133-12.
Third race—one mile, selling—Twenty—Three (10, A. Scott, 40 to 1) won, TenSpring (4 to 5) second, Jim Henry (8 to 1)

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Fourth race—six furlongs, handicap—Longbrook (169, Midgley, 4 to 5) won, Cass (5 to 1) second, Vanbrunt (10 to 1) third. Time, 1:15 3-4.

Fifth race—five furlongs—Adah Foy (197, L. Scott, 10 to 1) won, Halloweve (49 to 1) second, Shelby Boston (7 to 2) third. Time, 1:04.

CUMBERIAND PARK.

NASHVILLE, TENN., April 2.—The weather was decidedly unpleasant at Cumberland Park to-day, although the track was in good condition. The attendance was not large. The races were won by two favorites, a second-choice, and two outsiders. Minnle Cec, the favorite for the first race, got off badly, and was beaten by a neck by Elano. Starter Dwyer virtually gave Billy S, the second race, when he was given three lengths the best of the start. The Charter Oak scored a good thing in the fourth race, winning easily with Sumo, a 5-to-t shot. Nine maiden 2-year-olds faced the starter in the last race. Merry Nell was the pick of the talent, but finished third, fifty miles from here, which they will return here to-more. CUMBERLAND PARK.

cond, Peabody third. Time, 1:17.
Third race-seven furiongs-St. Paxim
(101, Thorpe, 1 to 2) won, Pelleas second,
Curator third. Time, 1:28.

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Fourth race-seiling, one mile-Sumo floo, Perkins, 5 to 1) won, Jaja second, Lay-On third. Time, 1:421-2.
Fifth race-four furlongs-Amanda (108, Perkins, 3 to 1) won, Millie Shannon second, Merry Nell third. Time, 491-2. CLINTON PARK.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., April 2.—Owing o the cold wave the attendance at Clin-on Park was very slim. Betting was rather light. The track was fast, Sum-

maries:
First race-four furiongs-Rosalind (99, Clayton, 9 to 1) won, Kowalski second, Abbe third. Time, 51.
Second race-six and one half furiongs-Joe Ho Sot (29, Mathews, 3 to 1) won, Lucille second, Silva third. Time, 1:25, Third race-selling, seven furiongs-Joe Murphy (105, Bergen, 3 to 1) won, Iron-master, second, Liman, third. Time

1:31 1-4.

Fourth race—selling, five furlongs—Dick Behan (165, Regan, 3 to 1) won, Little Ed second, Santa Cruz third, Time, 1:33 3-4.

Fifth race—seven furlongs—Pluto (165, Clayton, 1 to 2) won, Booze second, Josephine third, Time, 1:20 1-4.

THE PHILADELPHIA CLUB. Its Game Yesterday a Regular

Slugging Match. NORFOLK, VA., April 2.-The Philadelphia League Club and the Norfolks crossed bats at League Park this afterneen. The weather was threatening, but a good crowd was in attendance. It was a regular slugging match on the part of the boys from the City of Brotherly Love. They batted Lawson and Setley at their will. The local players could do little or nothing with the pitching of Smith and McGill.

The game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of rain. Score:

CHAMPIONS WIN AGAIN. ATLANTA. GA., April 2.—The Balti-mores defeated the Atlantas again, in the presence of nearly a thousand spec-

THE BEAN-EATERS. CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 2.—The Bos-ton-Charlotte game was not played to-day, on account of rain. The Bostons left for Danville to-night,

AN IGNOMINIOUS DEFEAT.

Lafayette Collège Does Chapel-Hill RALEIGH, N. C., April 2.-(Special.)-The University of North Carolina was to-day by Lafayette College. In the ninth inning the score stood: University, outfielded, outbatted, and outplayed; but a weak battery more than any other cause contributed to their defeat. Hill and Oidham were in the points for Carolina, and the Lafayette batters found him for a total of sixteen bases. Stephens, the university's best pitcher, played right field. Croswell, who was in the box for the northerners, was almost invincible, and was admirably caught by Blackley. The features were the hit of the bat, and a phenomenal back running catch of a foul fly by Slocomb, the uni-versity's third baseman. The game was slowly played, and the university was never in the hunt. The geore was as

THEY DID NOT PLAY BALL.

the Game-The Texans Here. About 200 cranks assembled at West-End They were doomed to disappointment, however, as old Jupiter Piuvius, with his customary contrariness, interfered, and broke up the game before the men went

The Green Mountain boys had a guaran-ee of \$100 in event of clear weather, and 50 if it rained, and it mattered to them

That Individual Alive and Well in Baltimore-A Report.

BALTIMORE, MD., April 2.-(Special.) Fifth race—Haleyon (6 to 5) won, Clansman (20 to 1) second, Pickaway (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:23.

Sixth race—seven furlongs—Bronston (2 to 1) won, West (4 to 5) second, Dillon J. (3 1:2 to 1) third. Time, 1:31.

THE CRESCENT CITY.

NEW ORLEANS, April 2.—Fair weather prevailed to-day, and the attendance was larger than on the ovening day of the spring meeting. The track was in good condition, but the talent had a hard time picking the winners. It was a day for long-shots, Galenbrown and Twenty. Three, at 20 and 40 to 1, being the great surprises. Summaries:

First race—three fourths of a mili—Bar Guard (196, Mayberry, 5 to 1) won, Sir John (13 to 1) second, Maquon (7 to 1) third. Time, 1:17-1-2.

Second race—seven furlongs—Galenbrown (11, C. Slaughter, 20 to 1) won, Artless (15 to 1) second, Nicaragua (10 to 1). been murdered.

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"Law's, white men, I'se Roberta Curtis myseif, I ain't dead, is I?"

The authorities now suspect that the woman murdered in New York and at first supposed to be Roberta Curtis is Marie Neebad, of Healhsville, Va.

NEW ENGLAND MILL-MEN.

They Make an Interesting Discovery

as to Labor. CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 2.-The party of New England mill-men who are tour-

Illinois Town Fire-Devasted.

AURORA, ILLS., April 2.—The busi-less portion of the city of St. Charles was otally destroyed by fire this morning. and the loss will exceed \$100,000. The principal losers are: Stewart Brothers', flouring-mills, \$50,000; Bowman, Warren & Stewart, bank building and fixtures, \$15,000; Samuel Crill, dry goods, \$20,000; Odd Fellows' Hall, \$5,000; Lundgren & Wilson's ciothing stock, and Langacre's drugstore, 22,000. Several smaller build-ings and shops were destroyed, and Lake's hardware store was badly damaged. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Tired bodies, pale and sunken cheeks

haggard eyes, sleepless nights, and weak nerves, are ruining our lives and killing our people. No wonder these poor sufferers bless Dr. Greene for great offer. He is the most success for specialist in curing nervous and chronic discusses, and He is the most succes for specialist in curing nervous and chrorie diseases, and the discoverer of that vor is full medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. He has established a system of letter correspondence at his office, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ west Fourteenth street. New York city, by which all can write him about their complaints, and by mentioning the symptoms they suffer from and telling him how they feel they will receive an answer from him, free of charge, giving a complete description of their case and telling just what alls them. He gives most careful attention to every letter, tells just what to do to be cured perfectly and permanently, and makes all understand exactly what their complaint is. And all this costs nothing. No journey to the city, no doctor's fee, the best medical advice and consultation in the world, and nothing to pay. The Doctor makes a specialty of treating patients through letter correspondence, and it is successful. Write him at once, reader, and you will almost certainly be made strong and well. Howitzers Give an Elegant Banquet Open-

ing Their Handsome New Armory.

O'FERRALL AND DANIEL SPEAK.

ganization of Virginia and the pride of

were stationed. To the strains of martial music the lowitzers marched off, and their guests

At one of the tables the battery with

Lieutenants Starke and MacFarlane,

which the large assembly made an ad-vance movement and hombarded the ta-bles, the many delicacies rapidly disapas a sauce therefor, was induiged in

Howitzers, he paid a high tribute to the organization, saying that its history had been written in letters of blood from Bull Run to Alpomattox. The life and vision of the present battery were referred to. He said it was his privilege while a member of the Board of Aldermen to aid in securing an appropriation for the erection of the new structure now completed, and he piedged himself to lend his every effect while a hard for the fature. This which Major Robert Stiles, on behalf of Colonel H. C. Cabell's family, presented to the Howitzers' Association a mag-nificent picture of that gallant artillery-man. Major Stiles spoke of his great admiration for Colonel Cabell, whom he referred to as a man who never flinched, nor never failed to meet the fullest re-quirement of a soldier. He was, the speaker said, the most modest man he ever saw. His callantry and unflinching speaker said, the most modest over saw. His gallantry and unflinching courage, Major Stiles referred to in eulo-gistic language. During his talk the picture was held up in full view by two

THE HOWITZER ASSOCIATION. The toast, "The Howitzer Association," was responded to by Mr. Cariton Mc-Carthy, a member of the old Second Combrigadier-generals in their own estima-tion. They were full of suggestions, which the speaker thought might have proved of great value to General Lee had he seen fit to call upon any of them for assistance, but, he continued, so far as he knew, the great chieftain didn't. He thought many valuable lives would have been saved at Spotsylvania Court-house if the old Howitzers had been consulted. They were opposed to a reck-less waste of life. The Howitzers wea-at the bottom of almost every victory achieved by the Army of Northern Virginia, and had they been consulted they would have averted the terrible disaster that our army met.

SPEAKS FOR THE BATTERY. Captain Beauregard Lorraine, ex-cap surrender without a blow the first-tage of Their Fathers." The speaker opened with a happy and somewhat hu-morous allusion to a speech he made several years ago when he was present-ed by the battery with a sword. He then said it was his purpose to give a few facts about the present company of Howitzers. They were always present, because no parade or public ceremony was complete without them. It was a wise movement on the part of the brave survivors of the Howitzer Battalion when they decided to reorganize the battery. It was meet and proper that they entrust their glorious record and name to their children and their children's chil-dren, and not leave these entirely to the part of the historian.

Captain Lorraine here read from the

Captain Lorraine here read from the records of the post-bellum battery to show that fifty-five of the old Howitzers had, when the reorganization was effected, signified their willingness to enlist, and, continuing, said one reason of the success of the Howitzers was that they pulled together. In the absence of an enemy they maintained peace among themselves. They were on the best of terms with all the other military organizations of the city. They were a steady set, and when there was work to do zations of the city. They were a steady set, and when there was work to do they did it with spirit. In conclusion Captain Lorraine said: "Veterans of the Howitzer Battalion, you have put your trust in worthy hands, and you can rest assured that with the battery your es-cutched will ever remain bright and your battle-flag never be stained."

BADGE TO COLONEL CUTSHAW. Mr. W. L. White, of the association, was recognized by the Chair, and speaking directly to Coloriel W. E. Cutshaw, City Engineer, presented him with a handsome gold company badge on behalf of the present Howitzers. He made a most eulogistic talk, and especially compalmented Colonel Cutshaw on his public-spirited interest and untiring zeal. The fact that he was largely responsible for the magnificent new structure now occupied by the Howitzers was referred to, and as Mr. White handed the Engineer the badge he begged that he would wear it, with the assurance that no man in the army of Virginia more deserved the title of a brave Confederate soldier more than he. Three cheers were then given for Colonel Cutshaw, and as the choes died away he arose, and in a feeling manner responded to the speech made by Mr. White and tendered his thanks to the battery for Mr. W. L. White, of the association,

O'FERRALL SPEAKS FOR VIRGINIA.

A popular selection was rendered by the band, after which the toast "Virginia" was announced, and Governor Charles T. O'Ferrall was asked to respond. Although having already made one speech during the evening, the Governor was in excellent voice, and made a most excellent address. The toast "Virginia," he said, seemed inseparably connected with a banquet of this kind. A new Governor might bet doilars to doughnuts that he would have ample opportunity of responding to this toast. It might, in fact, be considered, one of his perquisites. It is seldom, he this toast. It might, in fact, be considered, one of his perquisites. It is seldom, he added, that you find a Virginian who cannot speak feelingly of his native State. After referring to the vast field of thought offered by the toast, the Governor went back to the days of the Revolution, and passing along the corridors of time with short allusions to momentous occasions and victories, he spoke of the baptism of blood of thirty years ago, which so many under the sound of his voice had witnessed. He said he could not undertake to run back over those four years in which the sons over those four years in which the sons of Virginia fought for those sternal principles laid down by the forefathers.

It was a hard blow, the Governor con tinued, for Virginia to secode from th Union. She loved the Constitution which officers, representing every branch of the dous applause?)

He then spoke directly to the active members of the Howitzers, and urging upon them to do their duty, closed with a beautiful reference to the chivalry of

on. (Applause.) The men of the South, continued, were inspired to make their oble fight in the late war because of fight for her. (Laughter and applause.)

husbands and some fought. The Senator then directed his attention to the military. He spoke in glowing terms of the artiliery, and, quoting Ben. Franklin said the members must pull together or hang to-indications are that the unfortunate indications are the unfortunate indicatio members must pull together or hang together. The artillery, he said, was the most conspicuous branch of the service, and was always heard from. Where the guns were stationed, there something was going to happen. Batterles during the war were often as conspicuous as regiments, and even as brigades, and this being the most scientific branch, it was necessarily the most difficult in which to do service. The man who could place a gun in the proper position often exercised more generalship than the officer who gun in the proper position often exercised more generalship than the officer who led a body of men.

JACKSON AND NAPOLEON. JACKSON AND NAPOLEON.

The speaker eloquently compared Stonewall Jackson and the great Napoleon, and after urging upon the Howitzers to cultivate the sentiment engendered by artillery service—that is, that in union there is strength—he paid touching tributes to Lee Robertson and Carton McCarthy, of the old Howitzers, and made a touching allusion to the fact that the 2d of April was the anniversary of the evacuation of Petersburg thirty years ago.

iife assured that they had the ideal of southern manhood and walked the straight path.

COPELAND AND THE PRESS. When Senator Daniel had concluded When Senator Daniel had concluded the hour was so late that the crowd showed signs of restlessness. Mr. W. S. Copeland, of the State, was called upon to respond to "The Press." Mr. Copeland said: "Mr. Toastmaster, we are told in Holy Writ that at the marriage feast in Cana of Gaillee, when the wine which had been miraculously made was sent to the assembled company the governor of the feast said to his host Every man at the beginning doth set forth good wine; and when men have well drunk, then that which is worse; but thou hast kept the good wine until now." I take it, kept the good wine until now. I take it, sir, that it is in the same generous spirit that, after having put forth our creditably upon your good taste amijudgment as upon our distinguished ora-torical abilities.

"It sometimes happens in Congress

that the gentleman who has the floor yields a part of his time to a colleague, reserving for himself the right to print his own remarks in the Record. In obedience to that custom I now surrender the remnant of my time to Colonel Stern, reserving the right to print in the morning papers." COLONEL STERN'S READY WIT. Mr. Copeland's allusion to Colonel Stern

that it was the duty of the militia to make themselves thorough soldiers, and of the government to support them. Turning to Senator Danivi and Governor O'Ferrall, who were seated together, he said: "If I were a United States senator, or if I ever intended being a United States senator, after settling the gold and silver questions I would appeal for a larger appropriation for the volunteer soldiery." This elicited much laughter. After indulging figures which showed that the This elicited much laughter. After indulging in figures which showed that the government appropriation to the citizen soldiery was but \$1 per capita per annum Colonel Stern concluded his remarks with an affectore appropriate to the occasion. This was the concluding speech of the evening, and at 12:30 o'clock the gathering, with many hand-shakes, dispersed.

A detachment from the Howitzers, with one gun, fired a salute in honor of their anniversary from the brow of the hill in the Capitol Square late yesterday afternace.

HIS THROAT WAS CUT

A Former Richmond Man Found Rear Baltimore in This Condition.

WAS PERHAPS HIS OWN ACT.

and Has a Wife and Son Here

man about 40 .years old, supposed to be F. W. Gipperich, of Richmond, Va., Hospital to-night, with a deep cut across his throat, the blood from which had saturated his garments. His windpipe dition was serious,

BALTIMORE, MD., April 3.-(Special.)-

Behind the affair is supposed to be pathetic story of attempted suicide, as letters found in his pockets tell of a wife and little son living in Richmond. Shortly after 9 o'clock a telephone message was from Harmon & Weaver's brick-yard, bound hand and foot, with his throat cut. The southwestern ambulance was at once dispatched to the scene. At the yard the officers found a party of men with Gipperich in a wagon, tied down HE ACTED STRANGELY.

with ropes.

HE ACTED STRANGELY.

One of the men told the story that he, with several others, saw a man near Sweitzer's bridge, Baltimore county, stumbling down the road. They went into a colored man's shanty, and the unknown man followed them. They then went into a saloon near by, and a moment later the man came in after them. They noticed the mysterious stranger was covered with blood. He ran up to them, exclaiming: "I want to put some of my blood on you." They tried to get away from him, but he grew violent, and began throwing glasses about and acting strangely. A number of them caught him and bound him in a wason. They then drove to the brick-yard, a distance of two miles; and notified the Baltimore police.

Among documents found in his pocket was a postal-card from Richmond, signed "Wife, Maggie," which was addressed to F. W. Gipperich. The card began "Dear Wille," and, after speaking of their little son, closed with a tender message. The card stated that his wife was staying at "Mrs. Taylor's, Ninth street, Richmond."

A RATHER WEIRD STORY.

A RATHER WEIRD STORY. Upon a ragged piece of paper stained with blood was written in a good hand, with lead-pencil: "The affair was concoted in Richmond. My wife knew too with lead-pencil: "The affair was conceted in Richmond. My wife knew too much about certain people, and people might be measured with the savages and its a burden-bearer; of the Orient she is but amongst the lity among the men a social queen—the a social queen—the men of the South.

with lead-pencil: "The affair was conceted in Richmond. My wife knew too much about certain people, and people have been hunting me for fifteen years. I knew all was up when I saw that new foreman at Frank & Pray's. Why not kill me and not the dear wife, and darling, innocent boy? May God have mercy on one and all concerned in that affair. You will find a few cents in my pockets. Buy a few flowers for them. They did'—at this point the bloodstains cover the writing, after which appears: "Of devils, at this point the bloodstains cover the writing, after which appears: "Of devils, and not " " if you could have gotten a chance you would throw me off the boat. I could see that Mr. Wellder for Widder) was askep on duty. Again, God have mercy on you all. I know this will not reach the papers, but nevertheless I write this. F. W. Gipperich."

Upon another part of the paper is written: "No wander some people could not sleep at night."

Photo Citib. 12 norm of the mond," and "Frank & Pray, Hanover and Pratt streets, Baltimore." A letter was also found addressed in care of "H. C. Boschen, 725 west Clay atreet. Richmond." It is supposed that the wounded man is not in his right mind.

John Gibson (colored) was badly cut in the back in a difficulty that occurred at Union and Grace streets last night. He was taken to the almshouse for treatment. It is not known who did the

Acrenge Estimate-The Rise in Price

Having Effect. News and Courier will print to-morrow reports from nearly all the counties South Carolina, giving an estimate of the acreage devoted to cotton cultivation in the State this year. It is generally stated that there will be a reduction in

The estimate varies widely. In some counties it will probably amount to 50 per cent. In others the reduction will per cent. In others the relaction was not exceed 19 per cent. Twenty-five per cent, would probably be a fair estimate for the State at large. But whatever the reduction in the acreage, it is certain that there will be a large decrease in production.

that there will be a large decrease in production.

The reports from all the counties agree that there will be a large reduction in the use of commercial fertilizers. In Alken county, for example, it is reported that there will be a reduction of 25 per cent, in acreage and 50 per cent, in fertilizers. In Anderson county 15 per cent, less cotton will be planted, and 20 per cent, less fertilizers will be used. In Newberry countertilizers will be used. In Newberry countertilizers will be used. ton will be planted, and 29 per cent, less fertilizers will be used; in Newberry county there will be 29 per cent, less cotton planted and 40 per cent, less fertilizers used. In Kershaw county it is reported that there will be a slight increase in cotton acreage, and a greatly decreased production of cotton, because of the falling off in the use of fertilizers. Commenting on the report of the corcrease in cotton acreage, and a greatly decreased production of cotton, because of the falling off in the use of fertilizers. Commenting on the report of its correspondents, the News and Courier will say: "The recent rise in the price of cotton is having the expected effect upon the many good resolutions made by the farmers two or three months ago that they would greatly reduce the acreage of the new crop. Our Greenville correspondent says that sixty days ago it would have been safe to say that there would be a reduction of 50 per cent. In the cotton has advanced in price, and the old song is being sung that cotton is the only thing that will pay deits."

"The result is that, instead of reducing the cotton acreage 50 per cent, the reduction will not amount to more than 10 or 15 per cent. In Greenville county, the reduction will not amount to more than 10 or 15 per cent. In Greenville county, and if the speculators would ruise the price a few more points and keep the market active, with an increasing demand for spot-cetton, until the planting season is well over, we should not be surprised if the acreage would be larger than that of last year."

Charming Millinery.

Accidentally walking into Mr. G. H.

Kass's millinery store we found them all very busy, it being their Millinery Opening. We had a glimpse at some of their Patterns, Hats, and Bonnets, and we must say that we never saw anything more beautiful and grand in the line of that in his city. Some of tham were marvels in the art of millinery. You can tell at a glance that many have crossed the coan, they have the elegance and Parisian style about them. Ladies calling there will find themselves in a fairyland of beauty, fashion, and elegance.

St.50 Shoes.

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Job lot of Ladies' Oxford Ties and Button Boots at 11.00 old price 12.50 to 11.

Trunks in the city.

Shoes at cost, to close them out. Big Shoes at cost, to close them out. Big are the price and free them out. Big are the price and free them out. Big are the price and the parting them of th

BALTIMORE, April 2.—The Lodies of William T. Birch and Charles Hudson. William T. Birch and Charles Hudson, two of the three men who were drowned while attempting to sail across Sinepuxent bay last January, in the face of the worst storm ever experienced in that section, were recovered yesterday near Snow Hill, Md. Relatives of the dead men have been searching for the remains for ten weeks, and have dragged the bay for many miles around the scene of the accident, yet the bodies floated ashore directly opposite where the men were drowned.

into the cold and rain, had no Hostetter's Stomach Bitters to counteract their effect. But the modern traveller in inclement weather can baile its hurful influence with this genial protector. Chills and fever, rheumatism, neuragis, colds are forestated by this warming medical stimulans and safeguard. Take a wine-glassful in medicately before and after exposure. Use it, too, for dyspepsia, billousness, and constipation.

THREE CENTS PER COPY. HE WAS A DEFAULTER.

lad Heen Town Treasurer Thirty FOXCROFT, ME. April 2-Ellas J. Hale, Judge of Probate for many years, who shot himself on Thursday, is a de-

faulter as Treasurer of the town of Fox-croft to the amount of \$100,000, croft to the amount of fios.

As town of Foxbear of Foxtrees and without a bond until last year.

He had hired money as Treasurer, and
made reports to the town of but a small
portion of the money lired. The town
officials supposed that an assessment of
about \$6,600, which the town had voted
this spring, would pay the debt in full.

It is not known what Hale did with the
money, except that he had lived well
all these years, and people supposed him
wealthy. He had but little visible preperty. He was buried to-day. An investigation is now being made.

THE MARKET FOR SILVER.

Comment by the Landou Times Its Condition.

position of the silver market, the Tim

too cheap at 28, and that nowshit and in the rise to 30 was caused by speculation, the conditions of supply and demand justify it.

Alleged Cuban Demoralization. MADRID, April 2.—The Impartial's cor-respondent in Havana sonis this dis-patch:

merce, died at his home, in Brocklyn, last night.

ion flied yesterday, decides the Democratic apportionment of constitutional. The New York Tribune says the South ern Railway Company contemplates bid-ding for the Cincinnati Southern read at the coming sale.

The Illinois Supreme Court, in an onic

William Streenstrand, the originator of the great cotton corner of 1300, by the collapse of which he failed for over collapse of which he failed for over \$1,000,000, died in Liverpool, England, yes terday.

Southern Express Company's office at Punta Gorda, Fla., blew open the safe, took about \$900, and escaped with their booty. No clue. George C. Miller's Sons, the pioneer carriage manufacturers of Cheinnatt, assigned yesterday, with preferences, their assets and liabilities being about equal and between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

Stott, late cashler of the Mississippi River Logging Company, Winona Minn. has been confirmed by an examination of the books, the deficit amounting to \$22,000. The circulation of all kinds of money in the United States increased during March \$9,455,867, making the total circulation aggregate \$1,584,184,424, which is

The Baltimore Conference yesterday

decided, by unanimous vote, to hold the next general conference, which assem-bles in 1898, in the city of Baltimore, and the uext annual conference in Roa-nowe, Va.

noke, Va.

Bids were yesterday opened at the Treasury Department, Washington, for the construction of a new life-eaving station at Core Bank, N. C., and J. B. Shull, of Beaufort, N. C., was found to be the lowest bidder, at 14.85.

While Mrs. Thomas Jones was preparing her ballot at a polling place in Newcastle, Col., yesterday, she fainted, feil, striking her head heavily against the floor, and died in a short time, having ruptured a blood-vessel.

In the Massachusetts Legislature yesterday the Committee on Mercantile Af-

terday the Committee on Mercantile Af-fairs reported a bill authorizing the Mer-rimae Manufacturing Company to in-crease its capital stock to \$2,00,00 and engage in business outside the State.

To View Stella, the Great Italian Masterpiece.

At the request of a large number of influential patrons of the world-famous Italian masterpiece, "Stella," to have a distinct time set apart for the reception of ladies only, the management begs to announce to the appreciative public of Richmond that on next Friday afternoon, April 5th, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock, there will be held a special reception for ladies only. Souvenir photos of the artist will be given to each lady. Now on exhibition at 207 east Broad street. Masterplece.

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id lef. R.L. April 2—The con-election, rendered necessary by of General P. S. Post, passed y. George W. Prince, the Re-cardidate, was elected by about

T. LOUIS, April 2 .- To-day's municipa election turned all the city offices but two over to the Republicans. The Demo-Republicans are jubilant. Of the mailmously Republican, as seven Repub-cans are the hold-over members. The verage Republican majority in a total of 53,000 is 12,000. Democratic in-difference contributed to this result.

Law-and-Order Triumph.

orns from the State do not show much stice of the Supreme Court, has carried

DETROIT, MICH., April 2.—Later re-turns from the Third Congressional Dis-rict show that Alfred Milnes (Republican)

OMAHA, NEB., April 2.-Municipa Broody, the Democratic nominee, enlorsed by the Populists and Civic Federa

ST. LOUIS, April 2.-Charles A. Day shot George Thorm through the breast

It was zeal on the part of both finen to elect their favorities for the House of Delegates in the Seventh Ward that caused the shooting. The two candidates in this ward were Louis A. Cella (Demo-erat) and Hiram H. Lloyd (Republican).

LOS ANGELES, CAL. April 2-In a lecision rendered in connection with a uit for slander, brought by Miss Tesca Kelso, librarian of the Public Library ere, against Rev. J. C. Campbell, Judge larke overruled a demurrer of the de-adant that his statement was privileged

ALBANY, N. Y., April 2.—The Gray acing bill, as reported from the code committee, has passed the Assembly by the police bills will now come up to-mor-row. Senator Robertson is ill, and others are detained at their homes by business. As it will require every Republican vote to get the bills through, they will be kept back until the full party vote is present.

To save your dollars, if you need at efficient Cough Remedy, buy Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant. It may cost you the dollar, but may also save you many more dollars, together with much danger and suffering, for you will then have the surest known remedy.